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## Local News!

## Hunter-Potter.

James Durant Hunter and Susan M. Potter were married at the bride's home, 8 Cherry street, in this city at noon today, in the presence of about 90 relatives. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Tenney, after which a collation was served by Caterer McNeill. The bride was dressed in white satin, and was given away by Col. Andrew Potter. Miss Jennie Whitney was bridesmaid. The house was prettily decorated with apple blossoms and evergreens. Mrs. Hunter is the daughter of the late Lawyer A. G. Potter. Mr. Hunter is the son of James E. Hunter, and is one of the well-known firm, the Hunter-Mooring Co. Both have hosts of friends in this city, which has always been their home, who wish them much happiness and prosperity. The couple left the city this afternoon for a brief wedding journey, and will soon make their home at 5 Wall street.

## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

—One of the Drury boys sustained a painful injury to his nose while playing ball at Williamstown Monday.

—The whist party which was to be held Thursday evening by the ladies of Div. 10, A. O. U. E., has been postponed one week.

—The Berkshire Baptist Sunday school association are to hold a field meeting at Haddock's pavilion, Ponetooc lake, June 14.

—The closing meeting of the Girls' Friendly society was held Tuesday evening and was largely attended. Ten members were admitted.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Hospital board of control will be held at the Wilson Saturday at 3 p. m.

—James Duggan's dancing school will hold its closing session in St. Jean Baptist hall this evening with a social. Mr. Duggan has been requested to form another class, which he will undoubtedly do in the near future.

—One of the hostler's employed with the circus which showed at the fair grounds Tuesday was kicked by a horse and sustained a ragged gash under the left eye. Dr. Mignault closed the wound with several stitches.

—The grand opera selections to be rendered on Thursday evening of this week at St. John's parish house will include many popular airs. Mr. R. W. Illingsworth will have charge of the farce which will conclude the program.

—One of the wires connecting the chimneys at St. Francis church was broken Tuesday morning after a few notes had been played, but the damage was repaired and their sweet music was heard in the afternoon and evening, Eugene Coughlin ringing out the music.

—Pittsfield is getting a large number of tramps, who almost invariably get drunk and are arrested, who claim that they spent the winter in New York state working on the Erie canal enlargement. They are now on their way east for the summer. There have been a number of these men in that city of late.

—The lecture by Henry T. Bailey, state supervisor of drawing, at the normal school Thursday evening will be an event of much interest to the normal school students, the teachers of the public schools and others who have been invited. Mr. Bailey's subject will be "How to Study in Pictures," and the lecture will be illustrated with a stereoscopic.

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BY TELEGRAPH.  
SEN. LAWRENCE'S PART.He Presents Ambassador Bayard  
to the Legislature Today. The  
Bradford Manuscript  
Ceremonies.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

Boston, May 26.—The Bradford Manuscript History of the Plymouth Colony, the important document for the possession of which Massachusetts had long been anxious and had made many overtures to those in England in whose possession it was, was formally presented to this Commonwealth by Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, former United States ambassador to England, before a joint convention of the Massachusetts legislature today.

The ceremony of delivering the manuscript took place in the spacious chamber of the House of Representatives and was a most impressive nature. The convention of the two houses of the legislature assembled at 11 o'clock. Soon afterward, Governor Wolcott, accompanied by the executive council, Mr. Bayard, Senator George F. Hoar, and Massachusetts congressmen entered the chamber.

As soon as they were seated formal proceedings were opened by Clerk Coolidge of the senate, who read the decree of the

Constitutional Convention of London, entrusting the manuscript to Ambassador Bayard to be delivered by him in person to Governor Wolcott of Massachusetts.

"The actual presentation was prefaced by an exhaustive historical address on the manuscript by Senator Hoar. When Mr. Bayard accepted the manuscript in England he was compelled to give a formal receipt for it to the Bishop of London, and the reading of a copy of this document by Clerk Coolidge followed Senator Hoar's speech.

President Lawrence of the senate then presented the manuscript to Ambassador Bayard to be delivered by him in person to Governor Wolcott of Massachusetts. In a few happy remarks, fully chosen for the occasion, Governor Wolcott then made the speech of acceptance.

The Bradford manuscript which was passed over to Governor Wolcott, shortly before 1 o'clock today is a single book, bound in velvet, the contents being entirely in the handwriting of Governor Bradford. A special leather case had been made for it in England, and in this form it was brought to Boston.

## KING OUT ON BAIL.

Court Shows Leniency to the Young  
Bank Absconder.

Boston, May 26.—Albert M. King, the former assistant messenger of the Boylston National bank, who became an absconder last Wednesday, and whose arrest followed at Farmington, Me., last Saturday, was yesterday afternoon able to go home with his father and meet his mother and sisters, whom he has not seen since breakfast time last Wednesday morning. He was able to do this because Judge Fry, after a consultation with Assistant District Attorney Sughrue, placed the bail at a nominal figure, \$2500, which was readily secured, the boy's father, Samuel M. King, and the latter's brother-in-law, Herbert T. Whitman, going on the bond.

When young King was arraigned in the municipal court, soon after noon, there was a large number of people present, who had been attracted to the courtroom simply out of curiosity. The matter of arraignment was quickly finished. Shortly before noon the boy's lawyer, accompanied by Mr. King, arrived at the courthouse, and after they had conferred with inspectors Harris and Collins the latter returned to the court the warrant which was issued for the arrest of King the next day after he fled from Boston. This changes the case from one of \$25,000.

It took the judge and the assistant district attorney but a few minutes to decide to be lenient. It was represented that the home influence on the boy, after his recent adventures, would be much better than that life, where he would be surrounded by hardened criminals. Of course, the bail was not fixed at such a small amount until the father had assured the court that he would have the boy in the superior criminal court whenever he is wanted.

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## May 30th

is close at hand and still many have put off their purchase till late. Suit offerings for the 30th at CUTTING CORNER have never been so choice, so large, or so reasonable in price.

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after you have your boys tugged in our Boys' Department you can have your choice of Grey, Blue or Black serge, Black Worsted or fancy mixtures in endless variety, all wool and fully warranted \$2 to 15 the suit.

## IF A G. A. R.

you certainly will "fall in" with the rest of the boys at Cutting Corner and buy your new all-wool blue suit with gilt buttons \$7.00, cheaper than color \$8. All the other things to make the day complete as far as attire is concerned.

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—John A. Andrew.

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"WE HOLD THE WESTERN GATEWAY."

From the Seal of North Adams.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 26, '97.

The Advertiser in the TRANSCRIPT are the best business men in this community. Their advertisements are worth reading, and they are the firms with whom to trade most advantageously.

## THE PRESBYTERIAN BODY.

The governing body of the Presbyterian church in this section at Winona, Ind., is set out of here this year and hasn't a schism on hand. It is accordingly giving its undivided attention to the routine business of a great church body. The assembly will continue to the end of the month.

School how vast a thing Presbyterianism is in this country. The Winona assembly, representing the northern arm of the church only, transacts business for 8,000 churches, with a membership of nearly a million. Its expenditures for missions in fifteen countries last year amounted to over three and a half millions. Eight efficient boards carry on its home missionary enterprise.

The general assembly proposes to make Winona the permanent meeting place of the governing body, as it is a point central to the territory embraced by the denomination and is picturesquely located on Eagle lake. The postoffice department has been urged to change the name to Winona Assembly, as the name of the postoffice to the name of the assembly will be a convenience to the assembly's visitors.

The meeting point may be called Assembly as a compromise.

The advocates of Calvinism do not go much on a modernized gospel. Orthodoxy is their strong hold and eternal punishment still holds its place in their doctrine. The rigidity of its discipline, the compactness of its organization, and the tenacity with which it clings to the Bible make it one of the most positive and powerful ecclesiastical forces of the age.

The \$25,000,000 indemnity that Turkey asks for is quite likely to be delayed in transmission.

The New York woman who helped a kitchen fire along with a gasoline will furnish one of four funerals.

The Sultan is quite a bargain maker himself. The original price of peace was \$50,000,000 but he has marked it down to \$25,000,000.

The pretense that Greece and Turkey are settling their differences is of the baldest. They are only puppets in the hands of the powers.

If the Carson City verascope views are not a success, some excellent plates can be obtained in certain quarters of North Adams most any night.

After the expenses of disbursement are paid there may still be some of that \$50,000 relief fund left to buy the Cuban sufferers something to eat. Nothing certain about it, however.

A St. Louis surgeon is working up quite a reputation for his success in removing and repairing ears while they wait. How useful he would be in breach of promise cases.

The recent fulmination of the W.C.T.U. against elder has had a practical application in Connecticut. The new liquor law of that state prohibits the sale of liquor to non-licensed towns in less quantities than five gallons.

The King of Greece seems to be getting a realizing sense of the truth of the saying about the unness of the head that wears a crown. It might be consolation to him that not being a king by divine right he is not obliged to hold his job. He can resign whenever he pleases.

The very encouraging reports of business have not a tincture of it. It is the fact that congress is still in session. While that condition of things continues there is a constant menace to revival. Nobody dares to embark in any enterprise of magnitude until it is definitely decided what the tariff is to be.

Adams is setting North Adams a very excellent example in one matter. Our neighbor town has had the names of all its streets put in iron signs which are soon to be placed at all the corners. It seems as if this might make some day before the 21st or 30th century very properly engage the attention of our city officials, or one of them, at least. Every stranger coming to the city remarks its peculiarity.

The country is likely to have before long a judicial devaluation as to the value to an actor of an unblemished arm. The leading lady of one of the theatrical companies has used a railroad company for damages sustained by the wreck and the compensation she got; that the damage done to her arm was the arm which she declared under oath was the effectiveness of the arm in her stage appearance.

# MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE.

The Morning Program. Afternoon Exercises in the Memorial Building.

The Memorial day program will be substantially as follows: The line will form on Monument square at 9.30 o'clock and move to the cemetery at 9.45 headed by Clapp's band. All organizations in the city have been invited to join in the parade, but as few responses have been received no statement can now be made as to the bodies that will be in line. The column will move directly to Hillside cemetery, where prayer will be offered by one of the local clergymen, and the band will play dirges while the soldiers' graves are decorated by the Grand Army men and Sons of Veterans. When this work is concluded the line will move back to Monument square and disband.

At 3 p. m. exercises will be held in the G. A. R. Memorial building, to consist of singing by school children, and an address by E. Nelson Blake of Arlington, Mass., and remarks by local speakers. Mr. Blake was formerly president of the Chicago board of trade. He will probably be introduced by Mayor Houghton.

The 30th of May coming on Sunday this year, the Memorial day services will be held Sunday evening in the G. A. R. Memorial building, the sermon being preached by Rev. A. B. Church.

## Isaac E. Newton.

Isaac E. Newton died in Clarksville, Tuesday, of pneumonia. He was in his 71th year and was a young man much respected in the community where he lived. He leaves a wife and one son.

He is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Newton of Clarksville, one sister, Mrs. George Weld of Stamford, Vt., and one brother, Fred Newton of this city. The funeral will be attended Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the house of George Newton, the services being conducted by the pastor of the Stamford Baptist church and Rev. William Spencer of this city.

## Must be Stopped.

The residents of Cliff street have been much annoyed recently by Sunday baseball playing in that neighborhood, and on one occasion a keg of beer added to the hilarity and noise. Complaint has been made to Special Officer Frank Paddy, who announces that if there are any more such disturbances he will set the machinery of the law in motion.

## POWNAL

Memorial day exercises will be held here next Sunday, May 30. The speaking will take place at the Baptist church at 10.30. In view of the crowd is too large for the church the M. E. church will be utilized and should it be warm and still the baseball will take place in the open air. The E. P. Hopkins post, G. A. R., Wilhamstown, will send a delegation and a contingent from Center post, Bennington is also expected to be present. The Pownal Citizens band will furnish the music while George H. Dunn will have charge of the vocal music. At 3 p. m. similar exercises will be held at North Pownal and later at Pownal Center. The scholars of the several public schools are expected to be present and parade. When the program of exercises is made out we will endeavor to have it printed in full in this paper.

All wishing to join in celebrating the 12th wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Kellogg are invited to be present at the Baptist parsonage Wednesday evening, June 2.

The mill shut down for an indefinite time Monday.

## WOULD YOU BELIEVE

The Testimony of Outsiders Sooner Than the Evidence of North Adams Citizens.

Read every item in your local papers. News notes, advertisements, and market reports.

Mark this very important fact. Don't forget it when compelled to buy. Tell your neighbors who overlook it. That one not two—but only one. Of all the numerous remedies put up for trial humanity, is backed by local testimony. Not Buffalo proof for North Adams people.

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